

**FORTY-SEVENTH DAY**

(Wednesday, April 12, 1967)

The Senate met at 10:30 o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the President.

The roll was called and the following Senators were present:

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Berry	Mauzy
Blanchard	Moore
Brooks	Parkhouse
Christie	Patman
Cole	Ratliff
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover	Strong
Hardeman	Wade
Harrington	Watson
Hazlewood	Wilson
Herring	Word

Absent—Excused

Hall

A quorum was announced present.

Reverend W. H. Townsend, Chaplain, offered the invocation.

On motion of Senator Aikin and by unanimous consent, the reading of the Journal of the proceedings of yesterday, was dispensed with and the Journal was approved.

**Leave of Absence**

Senator Hall was granted leave of absence for today on account of important business on motion of Senator Word.

**Reports of Standing Committees**

Senator Reagan submitted the following report:

Austin, Texas,  
April 12, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Banking, to which was referred S. B. No. 351, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass as amended and be printed.

REAGAN, Chairman.

Senator Parkhouse submitted the following reports:

Austin, Texas,  
April 12, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Water and Conservation, to which was referred H. B. No. 57, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

PARKHOUSE, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,  
April 12, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Water and Conservation, to which was referred H. B. No. 136, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

PARKHOUSE, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,  
April 12, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Water and Conservation, to which was referred H. B. No. 140, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

PARKHOUSE, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,  
April 12, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Water and Conservation, to which was referred H. B. No. 167, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

PARKHOUSE, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,  
April 12, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Water and Conservation, to which was re-

ferred H. B. No. 171, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

PARKHOUSE, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,  
April 12, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Water and Conservation, to which was referred H. B. No. 174, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

PARKHOUSE, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,  
April 12, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Water and Conservation, to which was referred H. B. No. 176, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

PARKHOUSE, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,  
April 12, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Water and Conservation, to which was referred H. B. No. 666, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

PARKHOUSE, Chairman.

Senator Herring submitted the following reports:

Austin, Texas,  
April 12, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Jurisprudence, to which was referred H. B. No. 773, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

HERRING, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,  
April 12, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Jurisprudence, to which was referred S. B. No. 529, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

HERRING, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,  
April 12, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Jurisprudence, to which was referred S. B. No. 439, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

HERRING, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,  
April 12, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Jurisprudence, to which was referred S. B. No. 317, have had the same under consideration and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

HERRING, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,  
April 12, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Jurisprudence, to which was referred S. B. No. 506, have had the same under consideration and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

HERRING, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,  
April 12, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Jurisprudence, to which was referred H. B. No. 36, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with

the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

HERRING, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,  
April 12, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Jurisprudence, to which was referred S. B. No. 530, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

HERRING, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,  
April 12, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Jurisprudence, to which was referred S. B. No. 534, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

HERRING, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,  
April 12, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Jurisprudence, to which was referred S. B. No. 520, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass as amended and be printed.

HERRING, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,  
April 12, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Jurisprudence, to which was referred S. B. No. 454, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do not pass, but that the Committee Substitute adopted in lieu thereof do pass and be printed.

HERRING, Chairman.

C. S. S. B. No. 454 was read the first time.

Senator Christie submitted the following reports:

Austin, Texas,  
April 11, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, to which was referred H. B. No. 12, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

CHRISTIE, Vice-Chairman.

Austin, Texas,  
April 11, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, to which was referred S. B. No. 353, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

CHRISTIE, Vice-Chairman.

Austin, Texas,  
April 12, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, to which was referred S. B. No. 551, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

CHRISTIE, Vice-Chairman.

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Austin, Texas,  
April 11, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, to which was referred H. B. 446, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

CHRISTIE, Vice-Chairman.

Austin, Texas,  
April 11, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, to which was referred H. B. No. 316, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the

Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

CHRISTIE, Vice-Chairman.

Austin, Texas,  
April 11, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, to which was referred S. B. No. 222, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do not pass, but that the Committee Substitute adopted in lieu thereof do pass and be printed.

CHRISTIE, Vice-Chairman.

C. S. S. B. No. 222 was read the first time.

Senator Kennard submitted the following report:

Austin, Texas,  
April 12, 1967

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Public Health to which was referred S. B. No. 455, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

KENNARD, Chairman.

Senator Berry submitted the following reports:

Austin, Texas,  
April 12, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs, to which was referred H. B. No. 306, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

BERRY, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,  
April 12, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs, to which was referred H. B. No. 694, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the

Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

BERRY, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,  
April 12, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs, to which was referred H. B. No. 674, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

BERRY, Chairman.

#### Bills and Resolution Signed

The President signed in the presence of the Senate after the caption had been read, the following enrolled bills and resolution:

H. B. No. 287, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the Board of Regents of The University of Texas System to acquire by purchase, exchange, gift or otherwise certain properties to be used for campus expansion and University purposes in The University of Texas System; vesting title in the Board of Regents of The University of Texas System; and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 540, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 18 of Acts 1965, 59th Legislature, Chapter 515, (codified as Article 8280-304, V.A.C.S.) to provide for the sale of bonds by Turkey Creek Improvement District and the exchange of bonds for property and the minimum price of bonds at such sale or exchange and their maximum rate of interest; enacting other matters related to the aforementioned subjects; determining and finding that the requirements of Article 16, Section 59(d), Constitution of Texas, as to notice of intention to introduce this Act have been fulfilled and accomplished; providing for a severability clause; and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 541, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 18 of Acts 1965, 59th Legislature, Chapter 521, (codified as Article 8280-309, V.A.C.S.) to provide for the sale of bonds by Timberlake Improvement District and the exchange of bonds for property and the minimum price

of bonds at such sale or exchange and their maximum rate of interest; enacting other matters related to the aforementioned subjects; determining and finding that the requirements of Article 16, Section 59 (d), Constitution of Texas, as to notice of intention to introduce this Act have been fulfilled and accomplished; providing for a severability clause; and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 618, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the appointment of a tax assessor-collector for Cameron County Fresh Water Supply District No. 1 of Port Isabel, and providing for a change in the compensation of the supervisors of the District; amending Chapter 538, Acts of the 59th Legislature, Regular Session, 1965, by adding Sections 2A and 2B; and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 102, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Senate Bill No. 184, Acts of the 55th Legislature, Regular Session, 1957, Chapter 110, as amended, codified as Article 3912i, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes, so as to authorize the Commissioners Court in each county of the State of Texas to increase the maximum compensation of each officer enumerated in said Senate Bill No. 184 in an additional amount not to exceed twenty per cent (20%) of the maximum sum authorized by said Senate Bill No. 184, as amended; providing that no such increase in compensation may be authorized except at a regular meeting of the Court after publication of notice; and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 91, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Paragraphs 18 and 26 of Section 12, Article I, and amending Section 25, Article I, of the Texas Liquor Control Act, to change the hours of the day during which the sale or delivery of any liquor is prohibited and to prohibit such sale or delivery on certain days; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith; and declaring an emergency."

H. C. R. No. 83, Congratulating the Honorable Price Daniel for his voluntary service to the Alabama-Coushatta Indian Tribe.

H. B. No. 597, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 1 of Acts of the 58th Legislature, Regular Ses-

sion, 1963, Chapter 376, as amended, to include Caldwell as one of the Counties to which the Act applies; repealing conflicting laws; and declaring an emergency."

#### Senate Bill 554 on First Reading

Senator Watson moved that Senate Rule 114 and Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended to permit his introducing at this time, a bill, the provisions of which he explained.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

#### Yeas—30

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Berry	Mauzy
Blanchard	Moore
Brooks	Parkhouse
Christie	Patman
Cole	Ratliff
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover	Strong
Hardeman	Wade
Harrington	Watson
Hazlewood	Wilson
Herring	Word

#### Absent—Excused

#### Hall

The following bill was then introduced, read first time and referred to the Committee indicated:

By Senator Watson:

S. B. No. 554, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Sections 4 and 5 of Chapter 273, Acts of the 55th Legislature, Regular Session, 1957, as amended (Article 8280-200, V.A.T.C.S.), relating to Elm Creek Watershed Authority so as to more fully define and expand the powers of the same, including the power to establish a program of improvements for improvement districts within the Authority, the power to adopt a plan of taxation, and the issuance of bonds against the faith and credit of such improvement districts; prescribing procedures for the exercise of such powers; providing the authority shall have the powers and privileges as it may choose to exercise from those conferred upon boards of directors of water control and improvement districts; repealing laws to the extent of

conflict herewith; providing a severance clause, making certain findings in connection with published notice of intention to apply for the passage hereof; and declaring an emergency."

To the Committee on Water and Conservation.

#### Senate Bill 555 on First Reading

Senator Christie moved that Senate Rule 114 and Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended to permit his introducing at this time, a bill, the provisions of which he explained.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Berry	Mauzy
Blanchard	Moore
Brooks	Parkhouse
Christie	Patman
Cole	Ratliff
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover	Strong
Hardeman	Wade
Harrington	Watson
Hazlewood	Wilson
Herring	Word

Absent—Excused

Hall

The following bill was then introduced, read first time and referred to the Committee indicated:

By Senator Christie:

S. B. No. 555, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Acts 1925, 39th Legislature, Chapter 186, p. 457, Section 8 (codified as Article 6674h, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925) by adding thereto a provision that in the submission to competitive bids of all contracts proposed to be made by the State Highway Department for the improvement of any highway constituting a part of the State Highway System or for materials to be used in the construction or maintenance thereof, the State Highway Department shall promulgate a requirement that all construction contracts shall include a provision that articles, materials and supplies furnished under such contracts and finished construc-

tion material utilized in the performance of such contracts shall conform to the same requirements that the laws of the United States require with reference to the mining, production, and manufacture in the United States of articles, materials and supplies acquired for public use or utilized in the construction, alteration, or repair of any public building or public work of the United States, as such requirements are prescribed and defined in the Act of March 3, 1933, Chapter 212, Title III, Sections 1, 2 and 3, 47 Stat. 1520, as amended, and the Act of October 29, 1949, Chapter 787, Title VI, Section 633, 63 Stat. 1024 and Executive Order No. 10582 or other Executive Order hereafter lawfully promulgated by the President of the United States under such Acts of Congress to provide procedures for determinations of the foreign or domestic origin of such articles, materials and supplies and the propriety of their utilization for public use, thereby conforming the public policy of the State of Texas to that of the United States in the matter of the utilization for public use of articles, materials and supplies that are of foreign origin in whole, or in part, and thereby providing that the State Highway Department shall not acquire for public use articles, materials and supplies to be used in the improvement, construction or maintenance of any highway constituting a part of the State Highway System and shall not offer to let or let any contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any such highway unless the contractors, subcontractors, materialmen or suppliers shall use only such articles, materials and supplies as have been mined or produced in the United States and only such manufactured articles, materials and supplies as have been manufactured in the United States substantially all from articles, materials or supplies mined, produced or manufactured, as the case may be, in the United States, unless the State Highway Department shall determine that such requirement should not be made because the needed articles, materials or supplies are not mined, produced or manufactured, as the case may be, in the United States in sufficient and reasonably available commercial quantities and of a satisfactory quality, or unless the said State Highway Department shall find that

in respect to some particular articles, materials or supplies it is impracticable to make such requirement or would unreasonably increase the cost or that such requirement would be inconsistent with the public interest, as defined in the aforesaid Acts of Congress or as defined in any Executive Order lawfully promulgated by the President of the United States in connection with such Acts of Congress."

To the Committee on State Affairs.

#### Message From the House

Hall of the House of Representatives  
Austin, Texas,  
April 12, 1967.

Hon. Preston Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed the following:

S. C. R. No. 49, Commending and congratulating the 147th Fighter Group, Texas Air National Guard.

H. B. No. 466, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Chapter 156, Acts of the 55th Legislature, Regular Session, 1957 (Article 1724, Vernon's Texas Penal Code), prohibiting the making or filing of false, misleading or unfounded reports to any governmental agency in this State for the purpose of interfering with the operation of such governmental agency or to mislead any officer of such agency; so as to provide by amendment that on the trial of such offense evidence be admitted as to any damage to property and any injury to persons resulting when any authorized emergency vehicle is operated on an emergency call in response to such false, misleading or unfounded report, and further providing that such offense shall be increased from a misdemeanor to a felony and that the minimum and maximum penalty therefor be increased; providing a severability clause; and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 452, A bill to be entitled "An Act rearranging, reorganizing, and amending provisions of Title 79 "Interest" of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, and certain other laws relating to loans and lenders, and providing for additional legislation relating to loans and lenders in accor-

dance with the provisions of Section II of Article XVI of the Constitution of Texas, which authorizes the Legislature to classify loans and lenders, license and regulate lenders, define interest and fix maximum rates of interest, and further defining and limiting the charges imposed by retail vendors of goods and services in credit sales, so as to create a revised Title 79 to be known as Title 79, "Interest and Credit", Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925; amending the provisions of Title 79, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended, relating to interest and usury; amending Chapter 205, Acts of the 58th Legislature, Regular Session, 1963, the "Texas Regulatory Loan Act", providing authorization, regulation and limitation of certain installment loans; providing authorization, regulation and limitation of certain secondary mortgage loans; providing authorization, regulation, and limitation of certain retail sales credit transactions; providing for authorization, regulation and limitation of certain motor vehicle credit sales transactions; authorizing voluntary non-profit debt counseling services; and prohibiting certain debt pooling contracts or agreements; protecting consumers against certain deceptive practices; creating the Office of Consumer Credit Commissioner and assigning to such office certain duties, powers, responsibilities; providing penalties; providing rules of construction and interpretation of this Act; providing a savings clause; providing for the repeal of certain enumerated statutes and laws; providing a severability clause; providing effective dates for certain parts of this Act; and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 186, A bill to be entitled "An Act validating all school districts, including all types of junior and regional college districts, together with the boundaries and names thereof; validating the creation, abolition, and conversion of all such school districts, and all changes in boundaries in all such school districts; validating the election of certain members to boards of trustees; validating the annexation of territory and the divorcement or separation from municipal control in all municipally controlled school districts; validating all bonds, bond taxes, maintenance taxes, and bond assumptions and the elections authorizing

same, of and in all school districts, including all types of junior and regional college districts; providing this Act shall not be construed as validating any boundary change made or attempted to be made by any ex parte order, resolution, or other act of the board of trustees of any school district; providing that this Act shall have no application to litigation now pending questioning the validity of matters hereby validated, or to proceedings now pending before the County Boards of Trustees, State Commissioner of Education, or the State Board of Education, or to any district which has heretofore been declared invalid by certain courts, or to districts which may have been established and later returned to original status, providing such litigation or proceedings are ultimately determined against the validity of matters hereby validated; providing a saving clause; and declaring an emergency."

S. J. R. No. 14, Proposing an amendment to Article III, Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding a new Section 52a to give the Legislature the power to authorize cities and counties to issue revenue bonds for industrial development purposes.

S. B. No. 263, A bill to be entitled "An Act to be cited as the 'Regional Sewage Disposal Act' authorizing public agencies created under article XVI, section 59 of the constitution to purchase, construct, improve, repair, operate and maintain sewage disposal systems and to condemn property therefor; defining terms; authorizing cities and other political subdivisions to make contracts with establishing districts to obtain services of sewage disposal systems; authorizing the sale or use of existing systems to or by such districts; authorizing the payment for such services under such contracts from water and sewer system revenues and from taxes if such tax is voted at an election; imposing duties upon such cities to establish and adjust rates for services of their own water and sewer system when necessary to pay the obligations of the cities under such contracts and their own revenue bonds; authorizing such districts to issue bonds payable from such contracts; prescribing duties of districts with respect to such bonds; enacting other provisions with respect to such bonds and de-

claring them eligible for investment of public funds; requiring approval of bonds and plans by the Texas water rights commission; providing for the repeal of chapter 263, Acts, 59th Legislature, but saving all other existing powers of districts enacting other provisions relating to the subject; and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 80, A bill to be entitled "An Act changing the name of the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners to the Texas State Board of Podiatry Examiners; construing the word chiropractic or chiropractist to mean podiatry or podiatrist whenever the word chiropractic or chiropractist is used in the laws of the State of Texas, including Chapter 11, Title 71 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended, consisting of Article 4567 through Article 4575, inclusive, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended; increasing the annual renewal fee for a licensed podiatrist (heretofore chiropractist); increasing the per diem for members of the Texas State Board of Podiatry Examiners; authorizing the Texas State Board of Podiatry Examiners to institute an action in its own name to enjoin violation of any of the provisions of Chapter 11, Title 71 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended, consisting of Article 4567 through Article 4575, inclusive, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended; making other provisions relating thereto; and declaring an emergency."

(With Amendment.)

H. B. No. 83, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 2A of Chapter 99, Acts of the 51st Legislature, 1949, relating to credit for service in the Texas Legislature, by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 2B (compiled as Section 2A of Article 6228b, Title 109, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes) to provide that the time served in the Legislature of the State of Texas by any Judge coming within the purview of this Statute shall be credited to the length of judicial service; and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 557, A bill to be entitled "An Act relating to notice and bonding requirements for nonresident construction contractors; prescribing a penalty; providing exemptions; and declaring an emergency."



H. B. No. 712, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 18a, Article 8308, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, so as to permit local recording agent to sign certain notices of renewal of existing insurance policies required to be filed with Industrial Accident Board; and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 752, A bill to be entitled "An Act relating to the manufacture and sale of bedding; amending Section 1, Section 3, Section 5, Section 6 and Section 7 of Senate Bill No. 200, General Laws of the 46th Legislature, Regular Session, page 376, as amended which pertain to definitions; use of discarded materials; enforcement provisions; permits for manufacturing and selling bedding; registration for selling bedding; providing a savings clause; and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 758, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending the Texas Miscellaneous Corporation Laws Act, enacted by Acts 1961, 57th Legislature, Chapter 205, Page 408, Section 1, by adding a new Article 1302-2.08, relating to the authority of certain corporations to borrow money and setting maximum interest rates thereon; prohibiting the plea or defense of usury in certain instances; providing exemptions; and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 770, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 290 of the 41st Legislature, codified as Article 2815h, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes, as last amended by Chapter 80, Acts of the 59th Legislature, providing two alternate methods by which territory consisting of school districts or parts of school districts adjoining or lying adjacent to any Junior College District may be annexed to such Junior College District for Junior College purposes only; providing elections on question of levy and collection of taxes for support of Junior College District and for assumption of bonded indebtedness thereof shall not be necessary in such annexed territory; providing a severability clause; and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 874, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Acts 1955, 54th Legislature, Chapter 368, as amended, to make Act effective to governing bodies of the additional institutions

named; to clarify the terms of such Act; to eliminate restrictions on the types of buildings to be constructed with proceeds of revenue bonds and the revenues and fees that can be pledged on the issuance of revenue bonds; providing for severability; and declaring an emergency."

Respectfully submitted,

DOROTHY HALLMAN,  
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

#### House Bill 773 Ordered Not Printed

On motion of Senator Bates and by unanimous consent H. B. No. 773 was ordered not printed.

#### Senate Bill 455 Ordered Not Printed

On motion of Senator Hardeman and by unanimous consent S. B. No. 455 was ordered not printed.

#### Senate Bill 353 Ordered Not Printed

On motion of Senator Word and by unanimous consent S. B. No. 353 was ordered not printed.

#### Executive Session

On motion of Senator Blanchard and by unanimous consent the Senate agreed to hold an Executive Session at 11:00 o'clock a.m. today (he having given Notice on yesterday).

Accordingly, the President directed all those not entitled to attend the Executive Session of the Senate to retire from the Senate Chamber and instructed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close all doors leading from the Chamber.

At the conclusion of the Executive Session the Secretary of the Senate informed the Journal Clerk that the Senate had confirmed the following nominations of the Governor:

To be a Branch Pilot for the Houston Ship Channel and Galveston Bar, for a two year term to expire January 7, 1968: J. C. Wall of Houston, Harris County.

To be a Branch Pilot for the Houston Ship Channel and Galveston Bar, for a two year term to expire May 9, 1968: R. S. Aguillard of Houston, Harris County.

To be a Branch Pilot for the Houston Ship Channel and Galveston

Bar, for a two year term to expire March 3, 1968: Arthur S. Borup of Houston, Harris County.

To be a Branch Pilot for the Houston Ship Channel and Galveston Bar, for a two year term to expire March 1, 1968: Jack Vetter of Houston, Harris County.

To be a Branch Pilot for Port Aransas Bar, Corpus Christi Bay and Tributaries, for a two year term to expire November 19, 1968: Philip R. Rickey of Corpus Christi, Nueces County.

To be a Branch Pilot for the Houston Ship Channel and Galveston Bar, for a two year term to expire February 13, 1968: Curtis W. Burlison of Houston, Harris County.

To be a Branch Pilot for the Houston Ship Channel and Galveston Bar, for a two year term to expire March 12, 1968: Philip Pizzitola of Houston, Harris County.

To be a Branch Pilot for the Houston Ship Channel and Galveston Bar, for a two year term to expire February 10, 1968: Jack Rowland of Houston, Harris County.

To be a Branch Pilot for the Houston Ship Channel and Galveston Bar, for a two year term to expire May 9, 1968: Zane Skinner of Houston, Harris County.

To be a Branch Pilot for the Houston Ship Channel and Galveston Bar, for a two year term to expire March 1, 1968: A. T. Gibson of Houston, Harris County.

To be a Branch Pilot for the Houston Ship Channel and Galveston Bar, for a two year term to expire February 5, 1968: W. W. Steinhort of Houston, Harris County.

To be a Branch Pilot for the Houston Ship Channel and Galveston Bar, for a two year term to expire April 19, 1968: L. R. Murray, Jr. of Houston, Harris County.

To be a Branch Pilot for the Houston Ship Channel and Galveston Bar, for a two year term to expire October 11, 1968: Neill W. Ray of Houston, Harris County.

To be a Branch Pilot for the Houston Ship Channel and Galveston

Bar, for a two year term to expire October 10, 1968: W. C. Nixon of Houston, Harris County.

To be a Branch Pilot for the Houston Ship Channel and Galveston Bar, for a two year term to expire March 12, 1968: Harold B. Willis of Houston, Harris County.

To be a Branch Pilot for the Houston Ship Channel and Galveston Bar, for a two year term to expire February 10, 1968: Fred A. Parker of Houston, Harris County.

To be a Branch Pilot for the Houston Ship Channel and Galveston Bar, for a two year term to expire July 18, 1968: John B. Niday, Jr. of Houston, Harris County.

To be a Branch Pilot for the Houston Ship Channel and Galveston Bar, for a two year term to expire October 11, 1968: T. E. Longino of Houston, Harris County.

To be a Branch Pilot for the Houston Ship Channel and Galveston Bar, for a two year term to expire January 1, 1969: Charles W. Barfield of Houston, Harris County.

To be a Branch Pilot for the Houston Ship Channel and Galveston Bar, for a two year term to expire January 18, 1969: J. Everett McNary of Houston, Harris County.

To be a Branch Pilot for Sabine Bar, Pass and Tributaries, for a two year term to expire March 1, 1968: H. H. Guidry of Port Arthur, Jefferson County.

To be a Branch Pilot for Sabine Bar, Pass and Tributaries, for a two year term to expire April 2, 1968: Carlton C. Grant of Port Arthur, Jefferson County.

To be a Branch Pilot for Sabine Bar, Pass and Tributaries, for a two year term to expire December 4, 1968: A. M. Castle, Jr. of Port Arthur, Jefferson County.

To be a Branch Pilot for Sabine Bar, Pass and Tributaries, for a two year term to expire March 1, 1968: A. R. Bellgard of Port Arthur, Jefferson County.

To be a Branch Pilot for Sabine Bar, Pass and Tributaries, for a two

year term to expire April 2, 1968: Lynn O. Hodges of Port Arthur, Jefferson County.

To be a Branch Pilot for Sabine Bar, Pass and Tributaries, for a two year term to expire December 4, 1968: O. E. Moore of Port Arthur, Jefferson County.

To be a Branch Pilot for Sabine Bar, Pass and Tributaries, for a two year term to expire February 2, 1968: Rodney G. Robinson of Port Arthur, Jefferson County.

To be a Branch Pilot for the Sabine Bar, Pass and Tributaries, for a two year term to expire December 4, 1968: T. I. Truitt of Port Arthur, Jefferson County.

To be a Branch Pilot for the Sabine Bar, Pass and Tributaries, for a two year term to expire December 4, 1968: L. S. Tibbets of Port Arthur, Jefferson County.

To be a Branch Pilot for the Sabine Bar, Pass and Tributaries, for a two year term to expire June 24, 1968: Robert C. Brown of Port Arthur, Jefferson County.

To be a Branch Pilot for Sabine Bar, Pass and Tributaries, for a two year term to expire December 4, 1968: S. B. Ellis of Port Arthur, Jefferson County.

To be a Branch Pilot for Sabine Bar, Pass and Tributaries, for a two year term to expire January 15, 1968: D. C. Ferguson of Port Arthur, Jefferson County.

To be a Branch Pilot for Sabine Bar, Pass and Tributaries, for a two year term to expire April 2, 1968: Bert Jackson of Port Arthur, Jefferson County.

To be a Branch Pilot for Sabine Bar, Pass and Tributaries, for a two year term to expire March 1, 1968: G. C. Reeser of Port Arthur, Jefferson County.

To be a Branch Pilot for Sabine Bar, Pass and Tributaries, for a two year term to expire April 16, 1968: Glenn Wortham of Port Arthur, Jefferson County.

To be a Branch Pilot for the Sabine Bar, Pass and Tributaries, for a two year term to expire December 4, 1968:

James R. Levingston of Port Arthur, Jefferson County.

To be a Branch Pilot for Port Aransas Bar, Corpus Christi Bay and Tributaries, for a two year term to expire April 29, 1968: Frederick J. Herbert of Corpus Christi, Nueces County.

To be a Branch Pilot for the Mouth of the Brazos River and Bar, for a two year term to expire November 29, 1968: Alvin A. Miller of Galveston, Galveston County.

To be a Branch Pilot for the Mouth of the Brazos River and Bar, for a two year term to expire November 29, 1968: Kenneth Gonzales of Galveston, Galveston County.

To be a Branch Pilot for Port Aransas Bar, Corpus Christi Bay and Tributaries, for a two year term to expire March 16, 1968: Robert J. Haywood of Corpus Christi, Nueces County.

To be a Branch Pilot for the Ports of Galveston County, for a two year term to expire April 25, 1968: William J. Thuerwachter of Galveston, Galveston County.

To be a Branch Pilot for Port Aransas Bar, Corpus Christi Bay and Tributaries, for a two year term to expire June 1, 1968: John Frederick Mathisen of Corpus Christi, Nueces County.

To be a Branch Pilot for Port Aransas Bar, Corpus Christi Bay and Tributaries, for a two year term to expire March 16, 1968: John O. Teller of Corpus Christi, Nueces County.

To be a Branch Pilot for the Ports of Galveston County, for a two year term to expire March 6, 1968: Richard C. McMains of Galveston, Galveston County.

To be a Branch Pilot for the Ports of Galveston County, for a two year term to expire April 25, 1968: George W. Davis of Galveston, Galveston County.

To be a Branch Pilot for the Brazos-Santiago Pass, Bar and Tributaries, for a two year term to expire August 8, 1968: Stanley E. Ridley of Brownsville, Cameron County.

### In Legislative Session

The President called the Senate to order as In Legislative Session at 11:15 o'clock a.m.

### Senate Resolution 411

Senator Hardeman offered the following resolution:

Whereas, Dr. Lara Hoggard of Midland, Texas, nationally prominent in concert musical circles, has announced his resignation as director of the Odessa-Midland Symphony Orchestra; and

Whereas, Dr. Hoggard, director of the Permian Basin Orchestra since 1963, has been responsible for pushing it into state-wide prominence through his talents and competency as a music educator, clinician, conductor and arranger; and

Whereas, Dr. Hoggard formerly served as assistant director of the Fred Waring Pennsylvanians and is a former professor of music at the University of Oklahoma. He has been in wide demand as a clinician and teacher for music workshops, camps, festivals and symposiums and is reported to have conducted or taught more persons than anyone living today; and

Whereas, In January, 1967, it fell to the Odessa-Midland Orchestra to perform the Western Hemisphere premiere of Johann Sebastian Bach's "St. Mark Passion," the music to this Bach work having been lost and was successfully reconstructed only last year in Germany. It had never been performed outside Europe until the Permian Basin Orchestra received permission to schedule it; and

Whereas, Two years ago the Odessa-Midland Symphony and Chorale, under Dr. Hoggard, performed for the first time in Texas and one of the first times in the United States, Gian Carlo Menotti's new work, "The Death of the Bishop of Brindisi." Following tradition, the Symphony closes its season with a gigantic undertaking involving the regular 80-piece orchestra and the 75-voice chorale, together with the 50-voice A Cappella Choir from Texas Tech and a specially selected 35-voice antiphonal treble choir of area high school girls, with Dr. Hoggard ably directing a performance of the Verdi Requiem; and

Whereas, In the effort to create an

appreciation for classical music among young people, Dr. Hoggard initiated a program of student field trips in which elementary through high school classes visit rehearsal sessions of the orchestra and chorale. The students are encouraged to weave their way through the various sections, thereby getting a close-up view while the musicians practice for the next concert. As the result, the programs have become so popular that hardly a rehearsal goes by without a group of students in attendance. Dr. Hoggard takes time to explain, a la Leonard Bernstein, the finer points of classical music to the youngsters of all ages as they attend the youth concerts of each season; and

Whereas, Under Dr. Hoggard's guidance, the Orchestras of Midland and Odessa combined and cooperation between the cities reached an all-time high during the 1966-67 season; and

Whereas, It is the desire of the Senate of Texas to take cognizance of the fine work and the wholesome contributions of Dr. Hoggard to the State of Texas, and particularly to the Permian Basin Area, and to extend its good wishes to him and Mrs. Hoggard as they leave to engage in new undertakings and meet new challenges; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate of Texas, That it does hereby recognize the excellent work, unselfish service and great contributions to our State and the Permian Basin Area of and by Dr. and Mrs. Lara Hoggard, and that copies of this Resolution, under the Seal of the Senate, be forwarded to them by the Secretary of the Senate.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

### Message From the Governor

The following message received from the Governor was read and was referred to the Committee on Nominations:

Austin, Texas,

April 12, 1967.

To the Senate of the Sixtieth Legislature:

I ask the advice, consent and confirmation of the Senate with respect to the following appointments:

To be Branch Pilots for the Ports of Galveston County, for two-year

terms to expire April 1, 1969: Harry L. Coker, Jr. of Galveston, Galveston County; Ereal H. Goodwin of Galveston, Galveston County; Albert F. Schurig of Galveston, Galveston County. For a two-year term to expire April 29, 1969: Russell Bryant of Galveston, Galveston County.

Respectfully submitted,  
JOHN CONNALLY,  
Governor of Texas

#### House Concurrent Resolution 90 on Second Reading

The President laid before the Senate the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 90, Extending congratulations to the Ex-Students Association of Texas Technological College upon their loyalty and enthusiasm, and sending good wishes for the celebration of "Tech Day".

The resolution was read.

On motion of Senator Blanchard and by unanimous consent the resolution was considered immediately and was adopted.

#### House Concurrent Resolution 91 on Second Reading

The President laid before the Senate the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 91, Expressing appreciation to the people of Texas and citizens of Falfurrias for their efforts in creating the Texas Ranger Museum.

The resolution was read.

On motion of Senator Reagan and by unanimous consent the resolution was considered immediately and was adopted.

#### House Bills on First Reading

The following bills received from the House, were read the first time and referred to the Committees indicated:

H. B. No. 494, to Committee on Jurisprudence.

H. B. No. 406, to Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs.

H. B. No. 283, to Committee on Education.

H. B. No. 30, to Committee on Education.

H. B. No. 428, to Committee on Jurisprudence.

H. B. No. 501, to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. No. 610, to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. No. 732, to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

H. B. No. 777, to Committee on State Affairs.

#### House Concurrent Resolution 11 on Second Reading

The President laid before the Senate the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 11, Advising the Coordinating Board, Texas College and University System, to work with Sam Houston State College on certain objectives.

The resolution was read.

On motion of Senator Moore and by unanimous consent the resolution was considered immediately and was adopted.

#### Senate Bill 80 With House Amendment

Senator Watson called S. B. No. 80 from the President's Table for consideration of the House amendment to the bill.

The President laid the bill and the following House amendment before the Senate:

#### Committee Amendment 1

Amend S. B. No. 80 by deleting the figure of thirty-five dollars (\$35) in Section 5, line two and substituting therefor twenty-five dollars (\$25).

Senator Watson moved that the Senate concur in the House amendment.

The motion prevailed.

#### Senate Resolution 412

Senator Herring offered the following resolution:

Whereas, Miss Janis Paige, outstanding star of many Broadway musicals, television productions, and films, will be in Austin in connection with the release of her latest movie,

"Welcome to Hard Times", which begins its Austin run at the Southwood Theater on April 26; and

Whereas, This beautiful actress and singer has brought much pleasure to the public through her many brilliant performances; and

Whereas, It would be a distinct honor to have Miss Paige visit the Senate of Texas; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate of Texas, That a cordial invitation is hereby extended to Miss Janis Paige to honor us with her presence on Tuesday morning, April 18; and be it further

Resolved, That this Resolution be adopted and a copy sent to Miss Janis Paige with the admiration of the members of the Senate and the sincere wish that she accept their invitation.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

#### Co-Author of Senate Bill 17

On motion of Senator Hazlewood and by unanimous consent Senator Kennard will be shown as Co-author of S. B. No. 17.

#### House Bill 2 on Second Reading

On motion of Senator Aikin and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration at this time on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 2, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide an exemption from the limited sales, excise and use tax for casing, drill pipe, tubing, and other pipe sold, leased, or rented for use offshore outside the territorial limits of the state; amending Article 20.04, Title 122A, Taxation-General, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and passed to third reading.

#### House Bill 2 on Third Reading

Senator Aikin moved that the Constitutional Rule and Senate Rule 32 requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 2 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

#### Yeas—29

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Berry	Mauzy
Blanchard	Moore
Brooks	Parkhouse
Christie	Patman
Cole	Ratliff
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover	Strong
Hardeman	Wade
Harrington	Wilson
Hazlewood	Word
Herring	

#### Nays—1

Watson

#### Absent—Excused

Hall

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

#### Yeas—29

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Berry	Mauzy
Blanchard	Moore
Brooks	Parkhouse
Christie	Patman
Cole	Ratliff
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover	Strong
Hardeman	Wade
Harrington	Wilson
Hazlewood	Word
Herring	

#### Nays—1

Watson

#### Absent—Excused

Hall

#### Committee Substitute

#### House Bill 1229 on Second Reading

On motion of Senator Cole and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration at this time on its second reading and passage to third reading:

C. S. H. B. 1229, A bill to be entitled "An Act relating to the assessment and collection of taxes for any independent school district having two hundred thousand (200,000) or more scholastics according to the preceding official scholastic census and wherein there is situated all or part of a city having a population of nine hundred thousand (900,000) or more inhabitants according to the last Federal Census; providing for a maximum assessment ratio and also providing that any increase in the assessed value of the taxable property within said district different than the assessed value used by the city assessor and collector shall be initially approved by a majority vote of the qualified voters of the district and further providing that any increase over and above the maximum assessment ratio will also require approval by an election of the qualified voters; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and passed to third reading.

**Committee Substitute  
House Bill 1229 on Third Reading**

Senator Cole moved that the Constitutional Rule and Senate Rule 32 requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that C. S. H. B. No. 1229 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

**Yeas—30**

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Berry	Mauzy
Blanchard	Moore
Brooks	Parkhouse
Christie	Patman
Cole	Ratliff
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover	Strong
Hardeman	Wade
Harrington	Watson
Hazlewood	Wilson
Herring	Word

**Absent—Excused**

**Hall**

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

**Yeas—30**

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Berry	Mauzy
Blanchard	Moore
Brooks	Parkhouse
Christie	Patman
Cole	Ratliff
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover	Strong
Hardeman	Wade
Harrington	Watson
Hazlewood	Wilson
Herring	Word

**Absent—Excused**

**Hall**

**House Bill 545 on Second Reading**

On motion of Senator Brooks and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration at this time on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 545, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 18 of Acts 1965, 59th Legislature, Chapter 618, (codified as Article 8280-330, V. A. C. S.) to provide for the sale of bonds by Wilcrest Improvement District and the exchange of bonds for property and the minimum price of bonds at such sale or exchange and their maximum rate of interest; enacting other matters related to the aforementioned subjects; determining and finding that the requirements of Article 16, Section 59(d), Constitution of Texas, as to notice of intention to introduce this Act have been fulfilled and accomplished; providing for a severability clause; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and passed to third reading.

**House Bill 545 on Third Reading**

Senator Brooks moved that the Constitutional Rule and Senate Rule 32 requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 545 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

**Yeas—30**

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Berry	Mauzy
Blanchard	Moore
Brooks	Parkhouse
Christie	Patman
Cole	Ratliff
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover	Strong
Hardeman	Wade
Harrington	Watson
Hazlewood	Wilson
Herring	Word

**Absent—Excused**

**Hall**

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

**Yeas—30**

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Berry	Mauzy
Blanchard	Moore
Brooks	Parkhouse
Christie	Patman
Cole	Ratliff
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover	Strong
Hardeman	Wade
Harrington	Watson
Hazlewood	Wilson
Herring	Word

**Absent—Excused**

**Hall**

**House Bill 108 on Second Reading**

On motion of Senator Schwartz and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration at this time on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 108, A bill to be entitled "An Act relating to disability compensation and death benefits to be awarded when members of the military forces of the state are killed or incur a disability while performing a

military duty; amending Section 10, Article 5783, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and passed to third reading.

**House Bill 108 on Third Reading**

Senator Schwartz moved that the Constitutional Rule and Senate Rule 32 requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 108 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

**Yeas—30**

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Berry	Mauzy
Blanchard	Moore
Brooks	Parkhouse
Christie	Patman
Cole	Ratliff
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover	Strong
Hardeman	Wade
Harrington	Watson
Hazlewood	Wilson
Herring	Word

**Absent—Excused**

**Hall**

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed.

**House Bill 85 on Second Reading**

On motion of Senator Harrington and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration at this time on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 85, A bill to be entitled "An Act establishing the Public Employees Retirement System of Texas, pursuant of Subsection (c) of Article XVI of the Constitution of Texas, to provide certain retirement, disability and death benefits for officers and employees of counties or other political subdivisions of the State, and of



political subdivisions of counties; authorizing any such subdivision (with stated exclusions) and its employees, as herein defined, to participate in such System upon determination made by the governing body of the subdivision; providing for the management and operation of the System, and for defraying the costs thereof; etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and passed to third reading.

#### House Bill 85 on Third Reading

Senator Harrington moved that the Constitutional Rule and Senate Rule 32 requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 85 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Berry	Mauzy
Blanchard	Moore
Brooks	Parkhouse
Christie	Patman
Cole	Ratliff
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover	Strong
Hardeman	Wade
Harrington	Watson
Hazlewood	Wilson
Herring	Word

Absent—Excused

Hall

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Grover
Bates	Hardeman
Bernal	Harrington
Berry	Hazlewood
Blanchard	Herring
Brooks	Hightower
Christie	Jordan
Cole	Kennard
Connally	Mauzy
Creighton	Moore

Parkhouse	Strong
Patman	Wade
Ratliff	Watson
Reagan	Wilson
Schwartz	Word

Absent—Excused

Hall

#### House Bill 341 on Second Reading

The President laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 341, A bill to be entitled "An Act to increase the jurisdiction of home rule city governments to police lakes owned by such cities; amending Paragraph 19, Section 4, Chapter 147, Acts of the 33rd Legislature, Regular Session, 1913 (Article 1175, subdivision 19, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes, 1925); and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

#### House Bill 341 on Third Reading

Senator Ratliff moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 341 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Berry	Mauzy
Blanchard	Moore
Brooks	Parkhouse
Christie	Patman
Cole	Ratliff
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover	Strong
Hardeman	Wade
Harrington	Watson
Hazlewood	Wilson
Herring	Word

Absent—Excused

Hall

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

**Yeas—30**

Aikin	Hightower
Bates	Jordan
Bernal	Kennard
Berry	Mauzy
Blanchard	Moore
Brooks	Parkhouse
Christie	Patman
Cole	Ratliff
Connally	Reagan
Creighton	Schwartz
Grover	Strong
Hardeman	Wade
Harrington	Watson
Hazlewood	Wilson
Herring	Word

**Absent—Excused**

Hall

**Welcome Resolutions**

S. R. No. 404—By Senator Patman: Extending welcome and privileges of the floor for the day to Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Jimenez, et al.

S. R. No. 408—By Senator Reagan: Extending welcome to teachers and students of junior historian class of Cunningham Junior High School of Corpus Christi.

S. R. No. 409—By Senator Brooks: Extending welcome to teachers and students of St. Peter the Apostle School of Houston, including distinguished Senate Page, Martin Bass.

S. R. No. 410—By Senator Bernal: Extending welcome to teachers and students of Seventh Grade of South Cross Junior High School of San Antonio.

S. R. No. 413—By Senator Word: Extending welcome to teachers and students of American history class of Italy High School.

S. R. No. 414—By Senator Wilson: Extending welcome to Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Stockwell and daughters of Nacogdoches County and extending privileges of the floor for the day.

S. R. No. 415—By Senator Watson: Extending welcome to teachers and students of Hallsburg School of McLennan County.

S. R. No. 416—By Senator Word: Extending welcome to teacher and students of Texas history class of Hillsboro High School.

**Adjournment**

The President recognized Senator Aikin who announced to the Senate the death of Representative James A. Hairgrove of Brazoria County today and yielded to Senator Schwartz.

Senator Schwartz gave a resume of Representative Hairgrove's life and services to the State and moved that the Senate stand adjourned, with all committee meetings and other business of the Senate cancelled for the day, in memory of this outstanding public servant.

The President requested the Members of the Senate to stand for one moment in silent tribute to Representative James A. Hairgrove.

On Senator Schwartz's motion, the Senate at 11:57 o'clock a.m. stood adjourned until 10:30 o'clock a.m. tomorrow.

**In Memory of**  
**Robert Harry Ratliff, Sr.**

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Senator Hardeman offered the following resolution:

(Senate Resolution 405)

Whereas, In the passing of Robert Harry Ratliff, Sr., of Colorado City on April 9, 1967, at the age of 68, the Colorado City area lost an outstanding civic affairs leader and attorney; and

Whereas, This prominent citizen was born July 24, 1898, at Colorado City and resided in the area throughout his lifetime; and

Whereas, He participated in a number of civic enterprises; he was well known in the American Legion, and the Masonic Lodge; and

Whereas, He was the organizer of the Colorado City Museum, of Colorado City; and

Whereas, He had served as Mitchell County Democratic Chairman for several terms, and was the former county and city attorney; and

Whereas, He was an active member of the First Methodist Church of Colorado City; and

Whereas, It is appropriate that the Senate of the 60th Legislature pay tribute to this outstanding Texas citizen who gave so freely of himself to serve the public good; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Senate of the State of Texas does hereby recognize the life and service of R. Harry Ratliff and extend deep sympathy to his wife—Isabell Smith Ratliff—and his sons—Mr. R. Harry Ratliff, Jr., of Colorado City, Mr. Hubert Ratliff, of Houston—and his sister—Mrs. Mabel Majors of Colorado City—and his grandchildren; and, be it further

Resolved, That copies of this Resolution be prepared under the Seal of the Senate for members of his family named in this resolution, and that when the Senate adjourns this day it will do so in memory of Robert Harry Ratliff, Sr.

HARDEMAN  
RATLIFF

Signed—Lieutenant Governor Preston Smith; Aikin, Bates, Bernal, Berry, Blanchard, Brooks, Christie, Cole, Connally, Creighton, Grover, Hall, Harrington, Hazlewood, Herring, Hightower, Jordan, Kennard, Mauzy, Moore, Parkhouse, Patman, Reagan, Schwartz, Strong, Wade, Watson, Wilson, Word.

The resolution was read.

On motion of Senator Aikin and by unanimous consent the names of the Lieutenant Governor and all Senators were added to the resolution as signers thereof.

The resolution was then adopted by a rising vote of the Senate.

**In Memory of**  
**Captain John K. Adams**

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Senator Christie offered the following resolution:

(Senate Resolution 406)

Whereas, Captain John K. Adams, of the 1st Cavalry of the United States Army, gave his life in the cause of liberty and Democracy, when an armored personnel carrier vehicle on combat operation in which he was riding was hit by hostile rifle rounds, in Vietnam on March 26, 1967; and

Whereas, Captain Adams was a 1958 graduate of New Mexico Military Institute, Roswell, New Mexico; and

Whereas, He was a career Army officer, having served eight years in the Army, including a 13-month tour of duty in Germany, and a prior tour of duty in Vietnam; and

Whereas, Captain Adams and his family moved to El Paso in November, 1966, when he was assigned to a language school at Biggs Air Force Base; and

Whereas, Captain Adams left El Paso for Vietnam just three weeks before he was killed in action; and

Whereas, Memorial services were held for Captain John K. Adams at the Ft. Bliss Center Chapel, El Paso; and

Whereas, Captain Adams is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Adams of Clovis, New Mexico; his brother, Charles Kassek of Minneapolis, Minnesota; his wife, Mrs. Donna K. Adams; and his children: a daughter, Deborah, and two sons, Jeffrey and Michael, all of El Paso; and

Whereas, The Senate of the 60th Legislature wishes to pay tribute to this gallant young man who gave his life that all the citizens of this nation might be protected and that the democratic ideals and principles upon which the United States of America was founded might be preserved; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Senate of the State of Texas adjourn this day in memory of Captain John K. Adams; and, be it further

Resolved, That copies of this Resolution be sent with deepest sympathy to his family.

CHRISTIE

Signed—Lieutenant Governor Preston Smith; Aikin, Bates, Bernal, Berry, Blanchard, Brooks, Cole, Connally, Creighton, Grover, Hall, Hardeman, Harrington, Hazlewood, Herring, Hightower, Jordan, Kennard, Mauzy, Moore, Parkhouse, Patman, Ratliff, Reagan, Schwartz, Strong, Wade, Watson, Wilson, Word.

The resolution was read.

On motion of Senator Herring and by unanimous consent the names of the Lieutenant Governor and all Senators were added to the resolution as signers thereof.

The resolution was then adopted by a rising vote of the Senate.

# In Memory of

## John R. Sadler

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Senator Harrington offered the following resolution:

(Senate Resolution 407)

Whereas, On March 28, 1967, Jefferson County and the State of Texas lost one of its most highly esteemed citizens in the passing of John R. Sadler; and

Whereas, Mr. Sadler, a native of Bonham, Texas, and a resident of Port Arthur since 1925, was a longtime member and active worker of St. George's Episcopal Church; and

Whereas, He made lasting and enthusiastic contributions to the entire Sabine-Neches area, and was a former Mayor of Griffling Park and a past president of the Port Arthur Chamber of Commerce; and

Whereas, He was a member of the Texas United Fund Board of Directors, the Sabine-Neches Waterways Association, and the Port Arthur Country Club; and

Whereas, He had a long and illustrious career in the newspaper field and was a director of the Texas Daily Newspaper Association, and a member of the American Newspaper Publishers Association; and

Whereas, Mr. Sadler's career in the newspaper business spanned nearly 50 years including 11 years as the devoted and dedicated publisher of the Port Arthur News; and

Whereas, Mr. Sadler's unique sense of fairness and his thoughtful consideration of others were reflected both in his work and social life; and

Whereas, He was a devoted husband and father, and a man of warmth who accumulated friends in all walks of life; and

Whereas, He is survived by his devoted wife, Mrs. Helen Sadler; two sons, John R. Sadler, Jr., of Port Arthur, and James Sadler of Houston; a daughter, Mrs. Suzanne Wylie of Houston; two brothers, L. R. Sadler of Corpus Christi and Hadie Sadler of Oklahoma City; and six grandchildren; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That a page be set aside in the Senate Journal as a memorial to John R. Sadler; that copies of this Resolution be sent to his family with deep regard of the Texas Senate; and that when the Texas Senate adjourns today it do so in honor and memory of this great man.

HARRINGTON

Signed—Lieutenant Governor Preston Smith; Aikin, Bates, Bernal, Berry, Blanchard, Brooks, Christie, Cole, Connally, Creighton, Grover, Hall, Hardeman, Hazlewood, Herring, Hightower, Jordan, Kennard, Mauzy, Moore, Parkhouse, Patman, Ratliff, Reagan, Schwartz, Strong, Wade, Watson, Wilson, Word.

The resolution was read.

On motion of Senator Aikin and by unanimous consent the names of the Lieutenant Governor and all Senators were added to the resolution as signers thereof.

The resolution was then adopted by a rising vote of the Senate.